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PART VI.

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOREST DEPARTMENT.

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Notification dated 7th December 1921.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting Minor Forest Produce of Magadi Taluk, for 1921-22, will be resold as the original purchaser failed to remit the three-fourths amount due to Government.

For conditions and other particulars, please see pages 497—498 of the *Mysore Gazette*, Part VI, dated 12th August 1920.

Sale will be conducted by the Range Officer, Closepet or District Forest Officer, Bangalore, at Magadi Travellers' Bungalow on 23rd December 1921 and will be subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests.

D. RAJA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR DIVISION.

Notification dated 4th December 1921.

It is hereby notified that the right to cut and remove the following trees enumerated numbered and marked for felling in the coupes of the several ranges of the Kadur Division, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Kadur Division.

Name of range	Name of forest	Coupe No.	Place of sale	Description of timber						Remarks
				Beete	Honne	Matti	Nandi	Hunal	Other kinds	
Devadan ..	Halasur State Forest ..	IV	District Forest Office, Chikmagalur, dated 5th Jan 1922.	7	18	33	17	40	22	
	Basavankote	III		2	19	19	2	13	11	
	Do	IV		..	28	21	5	13	7	
	Devadan State Forest ..	II		..	48	24	..	..	24	
	Do ..	III		8	5	7	4	..	4	
	Chakalmane District Forest	V		3	30	5	18	7	5	
	Jakkinike District Forest ..	II		1	37	30	1	13	24	
	Halasur do ..	III		..	16	47	4	9	26	
Koppa ..	Kesave District Forest ..	I		1	24	30	14	19	..	
	Devagode District Forest ..	I		5	14	50	13	13	2	
							Teak			
Kadur ..	Doddangudde	II		4	11	11	167	..	..	
Mudgere ..	Sargode State Forest ..	I		..	30	45	..	32	50	

1. The successful bidder will, immediately after the sale, deposit Rs. 100 as security for each coupe.

2. The final acceptance of the sales will rest with the Conservator of Forests who does not bind himself to accept the highest or any bid or to assign any reasons whatever for the rejection of any bid.

3. The successful bidders will, within a week of the receipt of the intimation of the acceptance of his bid, execute an agreement accepting the terms specified below, in default, the sale will be cancelled and deposit forfeited to Government :—

(*a*) That he binds to fell and remove the timber he has purchased before the 15th June 1922.

(*b*) That trees shall be felled in consecutive order as they are marked. Picking and choosing will not be allowed.

In felling trees, care should be taken to fell so as not to cause damage to the surrounding growth.

(*c*) That he shall fell the trees he has purchased and dress the logs on the spot. He will not be bound, however, to remove such logs as the District Forest Officer may declare to be unsound and unfit for sale without recourse to sawing. The District Forest Officer's decision regarding the over-dressing of logs shall be final and the purchaser should pay the amount for such wastage as calculated by the District Forest Officer.

(*d*) That only saws will be used for cutting up the logs into the required lengths, and that while he is permitted to remove whitewood, knots and flutes, he shall cause no unnecessary waste in dressing the logs. The District Forest Officer's opinion regarding the over-dressing of logs shall be final, and the purchaser should pay the amount for such wastage as calculated by the District Forest Officer.

(*e*) That he binds himself to pay for and remove all marketable portions of a tree either in logs, pieces or poles.

(*f*) That the timber prepared out of each tree shall be measured and stamped by the Range Officer or such other officer as the District Forest Officer may authorize, at the stump. Until the timber is marked at the stump, the timber shall not be removed.

(*g*) That he shall pay for all the timber measured as per clause (*f*) before removal from the forest or the depot fixed by the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) That all removals should be effected under passports issued by the Forest Officer in charge of the Forest or Depot and on presentation of the treasury receipt for the value of the timber he intends to remove.

(*i*) That if any tree other than the one bearing the departmental stamp impression or a tree that he has not purchased is felled, he will pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 15 for each tree.

(*j*) That the timber paid for but not removed within six months of the termination of the contract shall lapse to Government.

(*k*) That he agrees to such timber as may not be paid for before the 15th June 1922 shall lapse to Government.

(*l*) That he agrees to abide by the rules of the department, as regards kindling of fires and holds himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees and workmen.

(*m*) That he agrees to the cancellation of the contract and the forfeiture of his deposit for breach of any of the terms of the contract.

(*n*) That he agrees to maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer showing the serial number and kind of tree felled and the outturn of timber for each tree, which will be open to the examination of all Forest Officers.

Note.—Elephants could be hired when available on payment of a hire of Rs. 6 per male and Rs. 5 per female for a working day of six hours (rations for the elephants to be supplied by the hirer).

C. H. EAGLES,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

WATER-SUPPLY DIVISION.

Notice dated 15th December 1921.

1. Notice is hereby given that separate sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to the noon of the 3rd January 1922, for the supply of articles as noted in a statement required for use of this division for the period 3rd January to 30th June 1922.